

road; thence south of the Wadesboro road and east of Hayne street shall be designated as the fifth ward.

SEC. 2. That there shall be elected from the qualified voters of the city of Monroe one alderman from each of the foregoing wards and one alderman at large, and the said alderman at large shall also be mayor *pro tem*, and said alderman as mayor *pro tem* shall exercise all the duties of the mayor in his absence from the city or when he is physically unable to attend to the duties of mayor.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 10th day of March, A. D. 1919

### CHAPTER 139

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE OLD TRAP GRADED AND HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ISSUE BONDS IN THE SUM OF \$10,000 FOR THE ERECTION OF A SCHOOL BUILDING AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS BY TAXATION.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of erecting a public building in the Old Trap graded and high school district the board of trustees of said district are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds of said district, not to exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to draw a rate of interest not to exceed six per centum per annum, and to mature at such time or times and to be payable at such place or places and to be in such denominations as the said board of trustees may determine.

SEC. 2. That the proceeds of said bonds shall be used by the said board of trustees for the erection of a public school building in the aforesaid district.

SEC. 3. That the board of county commissioners of the county of Camden are hereby authorized and empowered to levy annually on property and polls taxable in said district a special tax of sufficient sum to pay the interest on said bonds as it becomes due and the principal at maturity.

SEC. 4. That the said board of trustees shall sell said bonds in such manner as they shall deem best, at either public or private sale, such sale, however, not to be in derogation of the general laws of the State.

SEC. 5. That for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the voters in the said district upon the questions of issuing said bonds and levying a special tax as provided for in this act, the board of county commissioners of the said county of Camden,